Willer & Rhoads

Ready-Made Garments at Half Price and Less.

Yesterday was a big day in this department, despite the sloppy condition of the streets.

The greatest bargains ever seen in the town are heregenuine bargains, as hundreds of women found to their satisfac-

In addition to the garments advertised yesterday we have added to the list-

Long Coats, \$4.98, \$7.50,

Former prices \$7.50, These Coats are elegantly made garments in Covert, Cheviot-Broadcloth and Kersey Cloths. Tight-fitting, semi-fitting or

Long Coat Suits, \$9.98 Were \$12.50, \$15, \$18.50, and \$20.

Cheviots and Broadcloths in black, blue and a few greens

STRONG TESTIMONY FOR MAJ. DOOLEY

Many Seemed to Think Yesterday That His Propety Would Be Left Out.

ISLE GETS LITTLE BELLE

Messrs. Wheelwright and Wayt Declare That City Has Done Nothing in Improvements.

day afternoon in the annexation probeing heard by Judge C. E. of Alexandria, as well as the ons propounded to witnesses by the many are inclined to believe that ne of expansion of Richmond's will not encircle the property by Mrs. J. H. Dooley and will same time leave out a portion of View.

the evidence and by his questions left e impression upon those who were in tendance that his order would not exthendance that his order would not ex-end the city limits so as to include the property of Major Dooley, nor would it, if this was left out, take in River View, While Mr. Easley was on the witness tand the court asked if the witness bought there would be any injustice

River, touching a portion of Dooley's property and leaving out iew would be a fair line?" asked Nicol.

opinion this would be a fair adjustment of the matter, Mr. C. V. Meredith admitted that the Dooley propert, should not be taken in unless Reservoir Park was included, but unless this park was taken into the city he contended that there should be no concessions. If the Dooley extract was left out the Peser.

from the colloquy between the attor-and the questions propounded to-ers and the witness by the judge, the Dooley property would be left and that Riverview and the Reser-Park would be taken in.

Case Will End Wednesday.

The city will place several witnesses on the stand in rebuttal to the evidence that has been brought out, and after the there will be the argument. At this time it looks as though the judge will have the case in hand by next Wednesday. This decision is expected within a month afterwards. The record is a very bulky one, and Stenographer Winston will be followed some time in preparing it. one, and Stenographer Winston will be pillewed some time in preparing it.

Alessis, C. F. Sauer and Henry F. Williams, testifying vestering morning, were against the expansion of the city limits. Mr. Sauer thought that the city was too slow in securing manufacturing sites, and that it should not extend its limits until such time as it could take care of what was already here.

Officials of Belle Isle said that the city didn't improve the property there, and

didn't improve the property there, and that the taxes on the Old Dominion Iron and Nail Works would have been much less if Richmond hadn't controlled the

place.

Mr. Wendenburg offered in evidence a copy of an ordinance that had been adopted by the board of supervisors of the county, and which referred to sewer connections in the territory contiguous

connections in the territory contiguous to Richmond.

Mr. Pollock objected to the admission of the testimony, on the ground that it was ultra vires, which, in the language of the layman, means beyond the power. The ordinance was one which gave the city the right to place culverts and sewers in Henrico county—in Fairmount.

Judge Nicol admitted the ordinance as evidence, and Mr. Pollock noted an exception.

Deputy Clerk Phillips prepared a statement showing the acreage in Tuckahoe and Fairfield Districts.

The county concluded with this testitaony, and Major Dooley's interests were then defended by his attorneys.

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Mr. Wayt Testifies.

Mr. H. R. Wayt, secretary of the Old
Deminion Iron and Nall Works, was the
first witness introduced for Major Dooley.
He testified that the Belle Isle property
had paid into Richmond \$12.660 to taxes,
and had not received any improvements
or benefits from this amount.

Dejection was raised to this, and the
attorneys on either side had a lengthy
argument, Judge Nicol said that he
could not see that the property of Major
Dooley could be placed on the same footing with Belle Isle, for the one adjoined
the city and the other was in the rive.

The cours held that the evidence could

lisle works, corroborated the testimony of Mr. Wyatt. He had a statement showing what Belle Isle would bave paid had she have belonged to the country of Henrico instead of the city of Richmond.

Mr. Easley On Stand. Mr. Lasley On Stand.

Mr. John C. Easley, with the R. B. Chaffin and Company, real estate dealers of Richmond, didn't thing Major Dooley's property should come with the city. The witness lived at Riverview. He didn't think the Dooley property was adoptable to city improvements.

He thought the tract of land owned by Major Dooley was worth more as a tract than it would be if taken in the city. He would riggard it as confiscation

city. He would regard it as confiscation of the Dooley property, unless a tim-limit was fixed for the improvement that would be made. "What would you annex, Majo Dooley's property to?" queried Judg

(E. H. Lozey).
Always in the Way, medley waltz (Al
La Rue).
Making Eyes, medley and two step (H.
Von Tilzer).
Jovial Joe, rag time and two step (Justius Ringleben).
Come Along Little Girl. Come Along,
medley waltz (J. B. Mullen).
Wait Till the Sun Shines, Nellie, medley march (Von Tilzer).
Way Down in Old Indiana, medley
waltz (Paul Dresser).
In Vacation Time, medley march (Von
Tilzer).
Waltzing with the Girl You Love, medley waltz (George Evans).
Kate Kearney, march and two step (W.
G. Offare). the laughter had subsided, Mr. Easle that improvements should be made u to this property before there was any expansion. He did favor some annex-ation, but no plan that would take in the Dooley estate.

Colonel T. M. Tylcott, civil engineer and manager of the Tidewater and West of the Dooley property with regard to the city limits, and had prepared a map which was offered in evidence, this map, with two others that had been drawn

with two others that had been drawn by Colonel Talcott, were submitted and made a part of the record. Judge Nicol was very much interested in the maps presented and left his seat to examine them closely. He asked to examine them closely. He asked many questions regarding the proposed expansion. The witness did not object to a limited expansion, but did think that it would be an injustice to take in

Mr. C. J. Rouelker, mechanical engineer, had made some red lines on the Talcott maps, and he explained that these represented the slope of the land.

Mr. Easley was recalled by Mr. Pollock for the city, and in answer to questions, said that the line of extension should be on the southern boundary of the river, westward, in his Judgment, Riverview should be left out along with Major Dooley's property. He said that he was willing to come in if the city gave him water, gas and sewers. He repeate that it would be confiscation to take in his home and Major Dooley's unless a time was set for the city improvements to made, there should be no expan

STOLE MUCH FOOTGEAR.

Negto Arrested Charged With

Relieving Economy Store. Relieving Economy Store.

Everett Payne, a negro who was employed as porter in the Economy shoe store, was charged in Police Court yesterday morning with stealing two hundred and seventy-five pair of shoes from his employer, Mr. H. C. Hoffheimer, His case was continued until the 14th, and

his employer, Mr. H. C. Hoffheimer, His case was continued until the 14th, and in the meanwhile Detective McMahon and Wiltshire will look up the record of the negro and attempt to show that he had been guilty of even worse crimes than stealing.

The negro would carry away two or three pairsof shoes each night, and this kept up for a period covering about six months. Many of the shoes were found in S. S. Weinstein's pawn shop on Brook Avenue. No charge will be made against the pawnbroker for receiving the alleged stolen goods.

stolen goods.

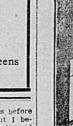
For firing a pistol in the street, Henry Becker, white man, was asked to contribute 250 by Justice Crutchfield yesterat the time and wanted some excitement.

SACRED CONCERT.

Programme Arranged By Profes-

sor Corrado for To-morrow.

There will be no skating in the bigrink at the reservoir to-night, as the indoor track meet will be held on the
skating floor. The rink will be open, as
uend, Monday morning for the ensuing
week.



H. Lozey).
 Always in the Way, medley waltz (Al

TENDERFOOT A WINNER.

Professor Pettibone a Funmaker

of Great Success.

Richard Carle's former success, "The Fenderfoot," went with a rattling good

comedy, "The Tenderfoot" is well stocked with pretty music and the atmos-phere of the play is decidedly appealing with a set of scenes laid in the West. There is a plot sufficient to keep up, in-terest in the three acts, and the comedy that bubbles out at almost every line is of a new vintage, while the music is espe-cially tuneful and some of the numbers really pretentious.

"Spangles" a New Creation.

Gabriel As Buster.

Lumber Merchants RICHMOND, VA.

INTERIOR VIEW OF THE NEW SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH, addition to the following programme, which will be played Friday night when the amateur athletic events take the place of the moving pictures: Bambasto, march (O. R. Farrar), Black and White, march and two step (E. H. Lozey).

NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Exciting Meeting of the Lower Branch of the City Council.

HAD A WARM DISCUSSION

He Refused to Sign the Minutes. No More Free Transportation-Personals.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch No. 1102 Hull Street.

Members of the Manchester City Cour plimentary pass-books on the street cars with the incoming of the month of Assembly last night by Mr. D. L. Toney holds good with the upper branch of

Mr. C. C. Cox was the only membe the relinquishment of the free transportation books. In the future the city

But this resolution of Mr, Toney was merely a side issue to what happened at the meeting of the Assembly. At the offset there was a sensational proceedoffset there was a sensational proceed-ing, for President John S. Wakefield de-cilined to sign the infinites of the pre-vious meeting on the ground that the annexation committee had not made a full report. Mr. Wakefield thought that there should be a detailed report from this committee, and until this was made he was not obliged to sign the minutes of the meeting that had been previously held.

against Clerk Nunnally,

"Spangles," a new creation in the the-atrical world, comes to the Academy on Monday night. To describe it it can be said that it is a comedy with musical phrases. It is a satire on the Carnegio Library craze and like Hoyt, the author has gone to the West to find new char-acters for the play. The company is the original and comes from a run of four weeks in staid old Philadephia, where such long events seldom occur. against Clerk Nunnally, who had recorded the proceedings of the previous meeting.

Mr. Topey moved to adjourn, stating that unless the minutes were approved the body could not, under any parliamentary law, transact any business.

The motion was lost. Mr. Wakefield said that until the city attorney instructed him to do so he would not approve the minutes.

Gabriel As Buster.

Master Gabriel and all the elever people who were at the Academy with him
in "Buter Brown" the first part of the
season, returns to the Academy on next
Wednesday, matinee and night. No attraction this season has made a more
favorable impression than "Buster," and
it can be said that it is the first show
for many seasons that is devoid of any
dull moments. From start to finish the
comedy comes fast and the musle is all
new and tuneful. George All is still the
"Tige" and his comical anties with Buster have been amusing the big effect ever
since the show was fore. The saile of
scats bering on Monday morning and
there is every prospect of a rush, as
Buster appeals to "grown-ups" as well
as the "Kids."

A Webber and Field Show ed him to do so he would not approve the minutes.

Mr. Bradley inquired who wrote the resolutions that provided for the retaining of the courthouse in the city and who was the author of the other resolutions, Mr. Wakefield answered that he had had prepared the resolutions and that Mr. D. L. Pulliam had written them off on a typewriter in his office. This point was particularly emphasized inasmuch as Mr. Pulliam has been the author of several editorials in a Republican weekly paper in Manchester.

Make Serious Charge.

President Wakefield vacated the chair,

Ilcan weekly paper in Manchester.

Make Serious Charge.

And there is overy propected the chalt, calling Mr. J.-D. Reams to preside, and in a speech that was "from the shoulder" is allied to do its duty. "You have kept this comel in the dark as to your work. Ings." declared the First Ward representation in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its past splendor to the attraction in all of its p

an insimilation that the members had denoted in the least for it could not burn him in the least, for it could not burn him in the least, for it could not be shown from the facts.

After all of this discussion Mr. R. V. Owen, representing the Clizens' Astronomy of the could be specially interest.

ing, the Rev. B. L. Whitman, D. D., Council to allow the people to vote on the question of annexation. Mr. Owen There will also be special services on both Monday and Tuesday evenings of on Monday evening at 8 o'clock a Bap-tist brotherhood meeting will be held, with the following speakers: M. Ashby

Three Other Sevices.

thorne, D. D.

On Tuesday evening at the same hour, an inter-denominational service with the following speakers: Russell Cecil, D. D.;

William J. Young, D. D.; W. E. Evans,

The Wednesday evening prayer-meeting will be held at 8 o'clock.
All these services will be indeed, attractive and large attendances are ex-

Corinthian Style.

thian, and the church, with its clearly defined outlines, has been greatly ad

History of the Church.

The Second Bapt:st Church is one of the grougest and most aggressive in the whole South. It has had in its pastorate

whole South. It has had in its pastorate some of the strongest preachers in the Eaptist denomination, including such men as James B. Taylor, Sr., D. D.; E. L. Magoon, D. D.; R. B. C. Howell, D. D.; J. A. Chambliss, D. D.; C. C. Bitting, D. D.; Henry McDonald, D. D., and W. W. Landrum, D. D., and W. R. L. Smith, D. D. It is notable that the church has never had a Virginian as a pastor.

The Second 'Church, an offspring of

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Jones, D. D.; George D.; C. S. Gardner, D

omnittee to investigate the rumor that money had been spent on the annexation question by Manchesterians, said that he had looked into the case and found that there was nothing but a rumor—a wild rumor that had been circulated by a publication in the News Leader.

Leader,

Mr. Toney said that he had interviewed
the reporter for this paper and found
that there could not be found no authority for the statement.

Challenge to Fight.

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Mr. Wakefield objected to this format report and said that he wanted the committee as a whole to report. Mr. Teney acquiesed in this and declared himself as only wanting to save time by making the statement.

Mr. Bradley said that if Mr. Wakefield or any one else wanted to insinuate that the members of the Annexation Committee had been influenced by any money consideration he would meet them on the outside. This was dropped afterwards and not referred to again. ifterwards and not referred to again,

The resolution of Mr. Toney came as a surprise to many of the members of the Council and the taking away of the transportation books will mean much to the members of the municipal body. Under the Constitution no member of the Council, as a Councilman, has a right to accept free transportation. To evade this and remain within the confines of the law the Council elected sixteen of its members fire commissioners. The other four were made ponce commissioners The law does not restrict, fire or police

Odd-Fellows in Manchester are looking forward to the entertainment that is to be given in Leader Hall on the 20th of the month for the benefit or under the auspices of Henderson Lodge.

Messrs. Munn, Wilkerson and Freeman, of Richmond, will put on the play, which is scheduled to be an excellent one. The

programme arranged thus far will in programme arranged thus far will in-clude several acts, each one of which will be worth the while. "The Fatal Rhoto-graph," by a Richmond author, will be on the programme, and in addition to this there will be several songs and a vaudoville sketch that will prove amus-lag. The tickets are now on sale and are being disposed of rapidly.

Personals and Briefs.

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Mr. Eugene Patram, who was injured while at work at the Platsh Gas Works some weeks ago, is improving rapidly.

Mrs. D. E. Baber, who has been ill of pneumonia for the past month, is much improved.

Mr. G. W. Blankenship returned yesterday, morning from Baltimore, where he went on a business tip.

Mr. W. P. Harrington has resigned his position with the Passenger and Power Company and will go into husiness at Ralls, N. C.

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Mr. Carter R. Dollings and Miss Matilda F. McCollough were married yesterday morning at 8 o'clock by the Rev.
Benjamin Dennis, paster of the Memo-

Sidney Hooker, for stealing a pair of shoes from another negro, was given sixty days in jall by Mayor Maurice yes-

WILL DEDICATE SECOND CHURCH

morrow's 11 o'clock service:

Organ voluntary, "Unfold Ye Portals" (from the "Redeinption"), Gounod Choir, "God is in His Holy Temple,

Invocation and Lord's Prayer, Hymn, "All Hall the Power of Jesus"

Scripture reading.
Choir, "I Have Surely Built Thee a
House," Wilkinson.
Scripture reading.
Choir, "Festival Cantate Dominge, No.
3," Buck.
Prover.

Organ, "Offertoire, in B Flat," Read, Choir, "Te Deum Laudamus, in G, Collete.

(Callein.

Hymn, "How Firm a Foundation."

Sermon, Rev. W. W. Landrum, D., D.

Hymn, "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord."

Benediction.

Organ, "Festival March." Guilmant.

The evening service, which begins a

MRS. JOS. E. WILLARD IS THE PURCHASER

There the church remained until in August, 1840, the second building, which stood on the corner of Sixth and Main Birects, was begun. Rev. E. L. Magoon was then pastor, and in January, 1842, he preached the first sermon in the new church. From the day this building was ocupled the church took on a new lease of life, and steadily it has grown until now it stands as one of the largest and most influential in this city of churches.

Handsome Colonial House is to Be Erected On Beautiful Monument Avenue.

There have been all kinds of rumers and speculation as to who was the real purchaser of the 210 feet of Monument Avenue land that was deeded to Mr. E. O. McCabe the early part of the week, If was very generally understood that Mr. McCabe was only acting as friend for some one whose name did not appear in the numerous deeds.

One apparently well authenticated report was that a wealthy Englishman was the purchaser, and the \$35,000 handed over for the seven lots was paid with a New York draft, signed by the Englishman. Another report was that a Boston man had bought the property and would build upon it a very costly home.

Then came another report that former Lieutenant-Governor Joseph E. Willard had purchased the property, and he was merely investing for a profit. None of these reports were true.

A Times-Dispatch man yesterday saw Captain Willard, and that gentleman, in reply to a direct question, made the following statement: "The two hundred and ten feet of land on Monument Avenue There have been all kinds of rumors

ten feet of land on Monument Avenue you speak of was purchased by Mr. Me-Cabe for Mrs. Joseph E. Willard. On it a simple colonial house will be built," It has not yet been definitely decided when building operations will commence, but quite likely within two months. The style of architecture will be simple, but the residence will be opposed the handsom-est in the county.

Bar Holds Annual Meeting.

FORMER VIRGINIAN CALLED TO RICH NEWARK CHURCH

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.), NEW YORK, February 2.—Rev. Thomas J. Villers, of the First Baptist Church, Indianapolis, has been invited by the congregation of Peddie Memortal Church, Baltimore.

Church, Baltimore.
Dr. Villiers was born in Centreville,
Va., in 1881, and was graduated from
Rochester Theological Seminary. He has
been in Indianapolis since 1898. The
Peddie Memorial is one of the finest
churches in Newark.

JOHN D. ON A YACHT The general architectural character of the new church is very similar to that of the old edifice. The style is Corin-thian, and the church, with its clearly IN FOR SOUTHERN WATERS

(By Associated Press.) (By Associated Press.)

RACINE, WIS., February 2.—A private yacht with John D. Rockefeller on boar I, was laid up at Key West, Fla., February 4, is the statement made by Viggo Hansen, a prominent business man of Racine, now traveling in the South, Mr. Hansen mentions having sat at the next table to Mr. Rockefeller at a hotel in Key West. The next stopping place of the yacht was not ascertained.

FIRST KILLED THE WOMAN THEN ENDED HIS LIFE

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, February 2.—El2o Coley, who lived near Macon, Ga., and who was formerly a sergeant in the Sixteenth Company of the Coast Arthlery, having also served in the Twentieth Field Artillery, shot and killed Josie Lanat, of Santa Clara to-day and taca shot and killed himself. The shooting occurred in a room at the Grand Pacific Hotel. Coley killed the woman as she lay in bed, sick and helpless.

Cuban Trouble Settled.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The trouble
which arose some time ago between the
Republic of Cuba and the United States
on account of the foreible expulsion of
Cuban eigar makers from Key West,
Fla., has been spttled.

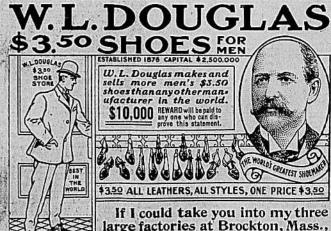
Slight Mistake.

first temple of worship on Eleventh
Street, between Main and Cary. This
ediffice was completed in October, 1822.

Collider was completed in October, 1822.

Said the f. b. in explanation.

"Dot yos where you don't know sondings, meppy," replied the wind-jammer. "Dis yos & porrowed pugie, aireaty."—Chicago News.



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